HAMATEUR CHATTER

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club, Inc.

The World's Oldest Continuously Active Radio Amateur Club

APRIL --- 1987

PRESTIGIOUS!

IN OUR 70TH SEASON

MILWAUKEE RADIO AMATEURS CLUB welcomes all radio amateurs and all persons interested in amateur radio to attend our meetings.....

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN RADIO RELAY LEAGUE we extend a very special invitation - we are the oldest affiliate of your League.....

MRAC REGULAR MEETING: Thursday, April 9, 1987, at 7:30 PM at Wauwatosa Savings and Loan Building at 7500 West State Street. Hall is open at 7:00 PM for rag chewing and consultations. Plenty of free parking. Stan Kaplan, WB9RQR, and Joe Bauer, W9WQ, will describe a new antenna they have designed. An interesting subject illustrated with slides.

NEXT MRAC REGULAR MEETING: Thursday, May 14, 1987. MRAC Secretary, Chris Welton, WD9GZL, wishes to inform all MRAC members that this is the annual meeting of the Corporation. First on the program is the ballotting for the club officers for the next term.

NEXT ON THE PROGRAM is our annual auction.....

Our Auctioneer, the inimitable Travis Baird! W9VQD! Ham equipment and parts. No selling charge. Details in next issue of bulletin.

CHAIRMAN OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE, Chris Welton, WD9GZL announces that the following are being nominated for this years' election:

President	Ted Stiller	WA9RDI
1st Vice President	Emrend A. Bude	K9HJH
2nd Vice President	open	
Treasurer	Bill Kidd	NE9W
Secretary (& Chairman)	Chris Welton	WD9GZL
Director 1 year term	George J. Philbert	KA9MXM
Director 2 year term	Gerald Reidel	KA9AJF
Director 2 year term	Richard Schlatterer	KA9MTY
Director 2 year term	Rodger C. Zaun	W9UVV

AT THIS APRIL 9TH MEETING nominations will be accepted from the floor for all of the above offices. If you wish to nominate someone, and that person is not present at this meeting you must have a signed letter from your candidate agreeing to run for the office.

FIELD DAY FOR 1987 is being held on June 27-28. Our Field Day Chairmen are Jerry Reidel,KA9AJF, 786-1937 and Jerry Melotik, KC9EV, 358-0107. Anyone interested in working with us this year, please contact either of our leaders by telephone or at the April 9 MRAC meeting. All ideas and comments are sure to be appreciated.

EDISON AFTER THE ELECTRIC LIGHT: THE CHALLENGE OF SUCCESS, a display of photos from the Edison Laboratory in West Orange, N.J., is currently showing at the Discovery Center, 818 West Wisconsin Avenue thru April 19. Admission is $1.50 and the Center is open 9AM to 5PM on Tuesday thru Saturdays and from 1 PM to 5 PM on Sundays.

BULLETIN

-- MRAC - YOUR WISCONSIN BASED VEC FOR REGION-9 --

MILWAUKEE METRO AREA TEST TEAM schedule for tests for FCC Amateur Radio Licenses is listed below. Persons desiring to take a test should register in advance. Do this on a Postal System post card (14¢) mailed to: **The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club, Inc.**
N50 W16328 Pin Oak Court
Menomonee Falls, WI 53051

PLEASE PRINT listing the grade of license you are applying for, your name, address and telephone number. Indicate which of the listed dates you prefer to be tested on.

On the date you have chosen, please appear at the appointed hour or not more than 1/2 hour later, so that we can process your exam that day. Bring a good photocopy of your license, a pen and $4.35 for the exam fee. We supply the proper Form 610 and assist you in properly filling it out. The photocopy of your license will be attached to the Form 610 application. Walk-ins accomodated if time permits.

BE SURE TO BRING YOUR ORIGINAL CURRENT LICENSE FOR ID PURPOSES

Note that in a single session you can upgrade more than one grade, time permitting.

Tests are scheduled for:

Saturday, April 4, 1987 at 9:00 AM

Saturday, May 30, 1087 at 9:00 AM

These two tests are scheduled to be given in Room 256, Wauwatosa East High School at 74th and Milwaukee Avenue Use the east (74th Street) entrance. Note that 74th Street is a one-way south thoroughfare.